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Met according to adjournment at eleven o'clock A.M., in an Informal Session, with Mr. Garballey of Arlington in the Chair (having been appointed by the Speaker, under authority conferred by Rule 5, to perform the duties of the Chair).

At the request of the Chair (Mr. Garballey), the members, guests and employees joined with him in reciting the pledge of allegiance to the flag.

Pledge of allegiance.

Guests of the House.

During the Session, the Chair (Mr. Garballey of Arlington), declared a brief recess and introduced members of the Student Council from South Boston Catholic Academy (grades 2 to 6), who were seated in the House Chamber. They were the guests of Mr. Biele of Boston.

South Boston Catholic Academy Council.

Petition.

Representative Cabral of New Bedford and Senator Montigny presented a joint petition (subject to Joint Rules 12 and 9) of Antonio F. D. Cabral and Mark C. Montigny relative to benefit payments by the New Bedford Police Association; and the same was referred, under Rule 24, to the committee on Rules.

New Bedford Police Association.

Papers from the Senate.

The House Bill regulating sports wagering (House, No. 3993), came from the Senate passed to be engrossed, in concurrence, with an amendment striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the text contained in Senate document numbered 2862.

Sports wagering.

Under suspension of Rule 35, on motion of Mr. Parisella of Beverly, the amendment was considered forthwith. The House then non-concurred with the Senate in its amendment; and, on further motion of the same member, asked for a committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two branches. Representatives Parisella, Michlewitz of Boston and Muradian of Grafton were appointed the committee on the part of the House. Sent to the Senate to be joined.

Committee of conference.

The House Bill relative to work and family mobility (House, No. 4470), came from the Senate passed to be engrossed, in concurrence, with an amendment striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the text contained in Senate document numbered 2872.

Drivers' licenses.

Under suspension of Rule 35, on motion of Mr. Straus of Mattapoisett, the amendment was considered forthwith. The House then non-concurred with the Senate in its amendment; and, on further motion of the same member, asked for a committee of conference on the disagreeing votes of the two branches. Representatives Straus,

Committee of conference.

Devers of Lawrence and Xiarhos of Barnstable were appointed the committee on the part of the House. Sent to the Senate to be joined.

A report of the committee on Education, recommending that the report of the Department of Elementary and Secondary Education (pursuant to Section 1J(a) of Chapter 69 of the General Laws) submitting its proposed amendment to 603 CMR 2.03: Accountability and assistance for all districts and schools, be placed on file, having been accepted by the Senate, was considered forthwith, under Rule 42; and it was accepted, in concurrence.

DESE regulations.

Reports of Committees.

By Mr. Michlewitz of Boston, for the committee on Ways and Means, that the Senate Bill relative to equity in the cannabis industry (Senate, No. 2823), ought to pass with an amendment by striking out all after the enacting clause and inserting in place thereof the text contained in House document numbered 4791. Referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Cannabis,— equity.

Mr. Honan of Boston, for said committee, then reported that the matter be scheduled for consideration by the House.

Under suspension of Rule 7A, on motion of Mr. Muradian of Grafton, the bill was read a second time forthwith.

The amendment recommended by the committee on Ways and Means then was adopted; and the bill (Senate, No. 2823, amended) was ordered to a third reading.

By Mr. Michlewitz of Boston, for the committee on Ways and Means, that the Bill to preserve special needs trusts for disabled seniors (House, No. 1274), ought to pass with an amendment substituting therefor a bill with the same title (House, No. 4792). Referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Disabled seniors.

Mr. Honan of Boston, for said committee, then reported that the matter be scheduled for consideration by the House.

Under suspension of Rule 7A, on motion of Mr. Muradian of Grafton, the bill was read a second time forthwith.

The amendment recommended by the committee on Ways and Means then was adopted; and the substituted bill was ordered to a third reading.

By Mr. Michlewitz of Boston, for the committee on Ways and Means, that the Bill relative to the preparation of certain bilingual ballots in the city of Malden (House, No. 3828) [Local Approval Received], ought to pass with an amendment substituting therefor a bill with the same title (House, No. 4793). Referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Malden, bilingual ballots.

Mr. Honan of Boston, for said committee, then reported that the matter be scheduled for consideration by the House.

Under suspension of Rule 7A, on motion of Mr. Wong of Saugus, the bill was read a second time forthwith.

The amendment recommended by the committee on Ways and Means then was adopted; and the substituted bill was ordered to a third reading.

By Mr. Michlewitz of Boston, for the committee on Ways and Means, that the Bill authorizing the town of Pepperell to convey a certain parcel of land to the Commonwealth (House, No. 4188) [Local Approval Received], ought to pass with an

Pepperell,—land.

amendment substituting therefor a bill with the same title (House, No. 4794). Referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Mr. Honan of Boston, for said committee, then reported that the matter be scheduled for consideration by the House.

Under suspension of Rule 7A, on motion of Mr. Muradian of Grafton, the bill was read a second time forthwith.

The amendment recommended by the committee on Ways and Means then was adopted; and the substituted bill was ordered to a third reading.

By Mr. Michlewitz of Boston, for the committee on Ways and Means, that the Bill financing the general governmental infrastructure of the Commonwealth (House, No. 4759), ought to pass with an amendment substituting therefor a bill with the same title (House, No. 4790) [Bond Issue: General Obligation Bonds: \$4,880,875,000.00]. Referred, under Rule 7A, to the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling.

Mr. Honan of Boston, for said committee, then reported that the matter be scheduled for consideration by the House.

Under suspension of Rule 7A, on motion of Mr. Wong of Saugus, the bill was read a second time forthwith.

The amendment recommended by the committee on Ways and Means then was adopted; and the substituted bill was ordered to a third reading.

Reports of the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling, under the last sentence of Rule 7A, that the following matters be scheduled for consideration by the House:

Senate bills

Providing for a gender neutral charter in the town of Middleborough (Senate, No. 2778) [Local Approval Received];

Authorizing the town of Berkley to grant an additional license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages not to be drunk on the premises (Senate, No. 2788) [Local Approval Received];

Designating March as Fibromuscular Dysplasia awareness month (House, No. 2789); and

Authorizing the town of Southbridge to grant additional licenses for the sale of all alcoholic beverages to be drunk on the premises (Senate, No. 2818) [Local Approval Received]; and

House bills

Authorizing the town of Charlemont to establish a tax on commercial recreation services (printed as Senate, No. 1339) [Local Approval Received];

Relative to charges associated with condominiums in tax title (printed as Senate, No. 1803);

Relative to excise tax repayments (printed as Senate, No. 1807);

To aid economic recovery of the tourism industry (printed as Senate, No. 1820);

Relative to the taxation of above ground conduits, wires, and pipes used in the transportation of natural gas (printed as Senate, No. 1965);

Relative to Chapter 12A (House, No. 4);

Relative to Lottery compliance investigations (House, No. 38);

Relative to research by independent testing laboratories (House, No. 172);

Relative to employment discrimination protections for legal cannabis (House, No. 175);

Improving housing opportunities (House, No. 298);

Governmental infrastructure.

Middleborough,—charter.

Berkley,— liquor license.

Fibromuscular Dysplasia.

Southbridge,—liquor license.

Charlemont,—recreation tax.

Condominiums,—tax title charges.

Excise taxes.

Tourism.

Natural gas equipment.

Inspector General.
Lottery compliance.
Cannabis testing.
Cannabis,—
employment.

Housing.

Promoting fairness in the rendering of dwelling accommodation services (House, No. 358);

Relative to sales at retail (House, No. 376);

Relative to license suspensions (House, No. 392);

To keep college graduates working (House, No. 425);

Relative to the town of Avon (House, No. 510);

Relative to improving pesticide protections for Massachusetts schoolchildren (House, No. 926);

Providing mortgage customers additional mandatory information regarding their accounts (House, No. 1035);

Relative to modernization of insurance laws (House, No. 1037);

[sic] To relative to an underinsurance issue (House, No. 1046);

Relative to Commonwealth automobile reinsurers (House, No. 1080);

Relative to special insurance brokers (House, No. 1082);

Expanding the use of video conferencing (House, No. 1109);

Relative to the cleanup of accidental home heating oil spills (House, No. 1119);

Providing for temporary emergency licensing of appraisers of motor vehicle damage covered by auto insurance policies (House, No. 1139);

Making changes to certain references in the banking laws of the Commonwealth (House, No. 1140);

Relative to insurance company rebates (House, No. 1141);

Expanding the use of video and telephone conferencing (House, No. 1146);

Relative to investments by fraternal benefit societies (House, No. 1164);

To eliminate penalty charges when cancelling auto insurance policies (House, No. 1165);

Relative to notices by insurance companies (House, No. 1238);

Relative to the Honorable George V. Kenneally, Jr. (House, No. 1342);

Promoting accessory dwelling units (House, No. 1413);

Relative to electronic meetings and voting in condominiums (House, No. 1416);

Relative to the collateral consequences of alimony (House, No. 1633);

To simplify administrative aspect of evidentiary use of medical information (House, No. 1638);

Prohibiting gunfire directed at dwelling houses (House, No. 1803);

To further clear titles to real property affected by technical irregularities in recorded instruments (House, No. 1804);

To clarify homestead estates (House, No. 1816);

Updating the definition of sexual assault counsellor to expand confidentiality protections (House, No. 1821);

Relative to the jurisdiction of the housing court (House, No. 1829);

Modernizing time-share extension and termination procedures (House, No. 1830);

Relative to tort actions for latent diseases (House, No. 1863);

Relative to the composition of the Victim and Witness Assistance Board (House, No. 1903);

Protecting the safety of victims of violent crimes (House, No. 1906);

Protecting wages of employees who receive wages through an electronic wage card (House, No. 1941);

Relative to employee definition harmonization (House, No. 2015);

Relative to fire protection (House, No. 2416);

Relative to local law enforcement continuity between the city of Boston and the town of Dedham (House, No. 2427);

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Housing,—realtors.

Retail sales.

Liquor licenses.

Student loans.

Brockton area.

Pesticide protections.

Mortgage

statements.

Insurance.

Motor vehicles.

Reinsurers.

Brokers.

Mortgages.

Oil spills.

Qualified

appraisers.

Banking,—changes.

Insurance rebates.

Mortgages.

Societies.

Insurance,—

penalties.

Insurance.

UMass Boston.

Dwelling units.

Condominiums.

Alimony.

Medical

information.

Dwelling houses.

Property,—titles.

Homesteads.

Sexual assault counsellors.

Housing court.

Time-share

extensions, etc. Latent diseases.

Victims and

witnesses board. Crime victims.

Electronic wage cards.

Unemployment.

Sprinklers. Boston and

Dedham.

Relative to critical incident intervention by emergency service providers (House, No. 2429);

Relative to increasing hotel and motel safety (House, No. 2452);

Relative to the reduction of certain toxic chemicals in firefighter personal protective equipment (House, No. 2475);

Relative to medical services (House, No. 2482);

Requiring live fire practice for a firearms license (House, No. 2486);

Relative to local law enforcement continuity (House, No. 2502);

Relative to firearms in certain public buildings (House, No. 2505);

Enhancing child safety (House, No. 2507);

Relative to swimming pool alarms (House, No. 2511);

Relative to criminal manufacture and possession of certain weapons (House, No. 2527);

Relative to furthering the success of opiate intervention programs (House, No. 2529);

Relative to silencers (House, No. 2530);

Relative to overdose fatalities (House, No. 2539);

Relative to the availability of personal floatation devices at certain municipal and recreational programs and camps (House, No. 2546);

Relative to arson investigators (House, No. 2599);

Relative to public safety personnel (House, No. 2608);

Relative to protecting local retirees (House, No. 2613);

Relative to maintenance of physical examinations records for public safety personnel (House, No. 2651);

Relative to death benefits to surviving spouses of call and volunteer firefighters (House, No. 2653);

Relative to the membership of the PRIM Board (House, No. 2751);

Relative to police officers and firefighters relative to Chapter 41, Section 111F (House, No. 2760);

Relating to guardians of surviving children of emergency first responders (House, No. 2829);

Relative to ensuring fairness and equity in the assessment of the value of property (House, No. 2841);

Relative to taxes due upon the death of active duty personnel and the elderly (House, No. 2849):

Relative to the electronic filing of certain forms used in property valuation (House, No. 2856);

Relative to embarkation fees (House, No. 2873);

Relative to fines on certain commercial and revenue property (House, No. 2882);

Relative to chapter land applications (House, No. 2889);

To protect elder housing (House, No. 2891);

Relative to the establishment of a means tested senior citizen property tax exemption (House, No. 2915);

Repealing the property tax exemption for Massport lessees (House, No. 2918);

Relative to tax abatement for permanently disabled veterans (House, No. 2921);

Authorizing the city of Boston to fund affordable housing through a fee on certain real estate transfers (House, No. 2942) [Local Approval Received];

Supporting residents and communities in resolving tax debt (House, No. 2993);

Promoting urban agriculture and horticulture (House, No. 2995);

Relative to condominiums (House, No. 3008);

Relative to charges associated with condominiums in tax title (House, No. 3022);

Emergency providers.

Hotel safety.

Firefighters,—toxic chemicals.

Medical services.

Firearms.

Boston, etc. Firearms.

Window guards.

Pool alarms.

Criminal weapons.

Opiate

intervention.

Firearms.

Overdoses.

Floatation devices.

Arson.

Earnings.

Retirees.

Public safety records.

Firefighters,—death benefits.

PRIM board.

Police and firefighters.

Survivors,—property taxes.

Assessments,—fairness.

Estate taxes.

Valuation forms.

orms.

Ferry fees.

Property. Land.

Elder housing.

Senior

Semor

property taxes.

Massport.

Disabled veterans.

Boston,—housing.

Tax debt.

Urban farming.
Condominiums.

Id.

Relative to expanding agricultural land (House, No. 3059);

Relative to property tax relief for 100% disabled veterans (House, No. 3069);

Relative to local control of boat excise revenue (House, No. 3074);

Designating Dysautonomia & POTS awareness month (House, No. 3158);

Relative to restricted vital records (House, No. 3207);

Relative to landscape sprinkler systems (House, No. 3230);

Relative to the maximum storage charges on motor vehicles involuntarily towed (House, No. 3290);

Relative to S-license compliance (House, No. 3295);

Relative to tow lien reform (House, No. 3299);

To protect Native American heritage (House, No. 3385);

Establishing a pilot program allowing for in-person payment of daily parking fees at certain commuter rail stations operated by the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority (House, No. 3461);

Relative to container safety on roadways (House, No. 3493);

Prohibiting the practice of coal rolling (House, No. 3553);

Relative to motor vehicle leasing parity (House, No. 3555);

To promote transportation demand management (House, No. 3558);

Relative to penalties for unlawful passing of a school bus (House, No. 3633);

Relative to honoring the founding of the United States Army, the United States Air Force, and the National Guard (House, No. 3645);

In support of veterans and dependents through municipal tax bills (House, No. 3646);

Relative to assisting veterans in need (House, No. 3652);

Relative to half-staff notifications (House, No. 3653);

Establishing veterans' service officers as mandated reporters (House, No. 3665);

Relative to veteran inclusion (House, No. 3673);

Relative to parking at certain airports for disabled veterans (House, No. 3681);

Increasing access to medical care for veterans (House, No. 3683);

Relative to a volunteer veteran corps mentoring program (House, No. 3692);

Confirming Commercial Wharf East Condominium Association present uses as authorized by the Downtown Waterfront-Faneuil Hall Urban Renewal Plan and Chapter 663 of the Acts of 1964 and Chapter 310 of the Acts of 1972 and preventing residents from being forced to sell their property and leave (House, No. 3720);

Relative to universal background checks for private gun sales (House, No. 3729);

Authorizing the city of Melrose to regulate certain property tax exemption eligibility requirements for the elderly (House, No. 3767) [Local Approval Received];

Regarding a hardship exemption for persons under the age of 60 in the town of Harwich (House, No. 3802) [Local Approval Received];

Providing for electric vehicle charging stations in the city of Cambridge (House, No. 3858) [Local Approval Received];

Authorizing the town of Mendon to establish a means-tested senior citizen property tax exemption (House, No. 3901) [Local Approval Received];

Authorizing the city of Lawrence to establish a program for enforcement against illegal bars and illegal casinos (House, No. 3908) [Local Approval Received];

Authorizing the city of Somerville to impose a real estate transfer fee (House, No. 3938) [Local Approval Received];

Authorizing the town of Provincetown to impose a 0.5% real estate transfer fee (House, No. 3966) [Local Approval Received];

Land.

Disabled veterans.

Boats.

Dysautonomia.

Public records.

Sprinklers.

Towed

vehicles.

Security.

Tow liens.

Native objects.

MBTA,—in-person

payment.

Containers.

Sooty exhaust.

Vehicle leasing.

Transportation.

School buses.

U.S. military

founding.

Veterans, local taxes.

Veteran assistance.

Half-staff flags.

Reporters.

Preference.

Veterans.

Id.

Id.

Boston,—tidelands.

Gun sales.

Melrose,—

tax exemption.

Harwich, tax exemption.

Cambridge,— electric vehicles.

Mendon, tax exemption.

Lawrence, enforcement.

Somerville,—transfer fee.

Provincetown, transfer fee.

Facilitating the appropriation and expenditure of community preservation funds for community housing purposes in the town of Chatham (House, No. 4058) [Local Approval Received];

Establishing a housing trust fund in the town of Chatham (House, No. 4059) [Local Approval Received];

Establishing a real property transfer fee in the town of Chatham (House, No. 4060) [Local Approval Received];

Relative to the Office of the State Climatologist (House, No. 4062);

Relative to telemarketer disclosures (House, No. 4137);

Relative to the delivery of property tax bills (House, No. 4176);

Regulating the flight of unmanned aircraft/drones in the airspace over all early, elementary and secondary education facilities in the Commonwealth (House, No. 4183);

Authorizing the town of Nantucket to impose a real estate transfer fee for affordable and workforce housing (House, No. 4201) [Local Approval Received];

To support families on Nantucket (House, No. 4203) [Local Approval Received];

Defining a domestic partner as a spouse and dependent as to the city of Somerville (House, No. 4209) [Local Approval Received];

To change the number of members of the Insurance Advisory Committee for the town of Milford (House, No. 4275) [Local Approval Received];

Establishing representative town meetings (House, No. 4276) [Local Approval Received]:

Authorizing the city of Cambridge to impose a real estate transfer fee (House, No. 4282) [Local Approval Received];

Establishing a real estate transfer fee upon the transfer of property in the town of Arlington (House, No. 4295) [Local Approval Received];

Relative to property tax exemptions for affordable accessory dwelling unit rental properties in the city of Salem restricted as affordable housing (House, No. 4300) [Local Approval Received];

Relative to recall elections in the town of Monterey (House, No. 4311) [Local Approval Received];

Authorizing Christopher Arrigo to purchase creditable service from the Barnstable county retirement board (House, No. 4312);

Establishing a Beachwood/Lenstock Maintenance District in the town of Stockbridge (House, No. 4316) [Local Approval Received];

Providing for the city of Worcester school committee election (House, No. 4326) [Local Approval Received];

Relative to private street betterment assessments in the city of Worcester (House, No. 4327) [Local Approval Received];

Providing for the laying out and acceptance of certain ways by the city of Attleboro (House, No. 4355) [Local Approval Received];

Authorizing the town of Brookline to hold hybrid town meetings (House, No. 4450) [Local Approval Received];

Changing the Board of Selectmen of the town of Tyngsborough to a select board (House, No. 4483) [Local Approval Received];

Establishing the position of town manager in the town of Tyngsborough (House, No. 4484) [Local Approval Received];

To require the reporting of satisfaction of judgments awarding money damages (House, No. 4503);

Chatham,—housing.

Chatham, housing trust.

Chatham,—transfer fee.

Climatologist. Telemarketers.

Property taxes.

School airspace,—drones.

Nantucket,—housing.

Id.

Somerville,—partners.

Milford,—insurance.

Milford, town meetings.

Cambridge, transfer fee.

Arlington,—transfer fee.

Salem, affordable housing.

Monterey,—recall elections.

Christopher Arrigo.

Stockbridge,—district.

Worcester,—election.

Worcester, private streets.

Attleboro,—streets, etc.

Brookline,—town meeting.

Tyngsborough,—select board.

Tyngsborough,—town manager.

Money damages.

Increasing penalties for hit and runs with recreational vehicles in the Commonwealth to be known as the James Ward act (House, No. 4504);

To protect victims of stalking in violation of harassment prevention orders (House, No. 4506);

To facilitate the unionization of the cannabis workforce (House, No. 4545);

Relative to recall elections in the town of Granby (House, No. 4549) [Local Approval Received];

Protecting public higher education student information (House, No. 4553);

Recognizing Sikh appreciation month (House, No. 4569);

Providing for special police officers in the city of Leominster (House, No. 4573) [Local Approval Received];

Authorizing the town of Natick to hold hybrid town meeting [sic] (House, No. 4575) [Local Approval Received];

Amending the charter of the town of Bourne (House, No. 4576) [Local Approval Received];

Modernizing the Massachusetts alcohol laws (House, No. 4587);

Relative to consumer rights of renters (House, No. 4588);

Relative to acceptance of out-of-state identification in Massachusetts (House, No. 4589);

Relative to the sale of malt beverages produced by a pub brewery (House, No. 4590);

Relative to failed septic systems (House, No. 4598);

Relative to employment protections for victims of abusive behavior (House, No. 4613):

Regulating the use of credit reports by employers (House, No. 4614);

Authorizing Tisbury to modify fire department employment (House, No. 4622) [Local Approval Received];

Authorizing the town of Milford to grant an additional license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages not to be consumed on the premises (House, No. 4663) [Local Approval Received];

Authorizing the town of Plainville to grant an additional license for the sale of alcoholic beverages (House, No. 4664) [Local Approval Received];

Authorizing the city of Salem to grant an additional license for the sale of wine and malt beverages not to be drunk on the premises of Peter's Bella Pizza at 84 Highland Avenue (House, No. 4665) [Local Approval Received];

Authorizing the town of Westford to grant one additional license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages (House, No. 4666) [Local Approval Received];

Authorizing the town of Milford to grant an additional license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages not to be consumed on the premises (House, No. 4668) [Local Approval Received];

Authorizing the town of Clinton to grant an additional license for the sale of all alcoholic beverages not to be drunk on the premises (House, No. 4669) [Local Approval Received]; and

Relative to the Steamship Authority audit report (House, No. 4675); and

The House Resolve relative to recognition for the Naval Armed Guard Service (House, No. 3659);

Severally placed in the Orders of the Day for the next sitting for a second reading.

Reports of the committee on Steering, Policy and Scheduling, under the last sentence of Rule 7A, that the following House resolutions be scheduled for consideration by the House:

Recreational vehicles.

Harassment prevention.

Cannabis.

Granby,— recall elections.

Students.

Sikh month.

Leominster,—police officers.

Natick, town meeting.

Bourne,— charter.

Alcohol laws.

Renters.

License identification.

Pub breweries,—sales.

Septic systems. Employment

protections.
Credit reports.

Tisbury, fire department.

Milford, liquor license.

Plainville,— liquor license.

Salem, liquor license.

Westford,— liquor license.

Milford, liquor license.

Clinton, liquor license.

Audit reports. Naval Armed Guard Service.

Urging the Congress of the United States to update the Drug Addiction Treatment Act of 2000 and remove excessive training requirements mandated for obtaining a waiver to prescribe buprenorphine (House, No. 3637);

Treatment Act.

Memorializing the Congress of the United States to declare the city of Quincy as the most patriotic city in America (House, No. 3639);

Quincy, patriotic city.

Congress,-

Drug Addiction

For a United States constitutional amendment and a limited amendment proposing convention (House, No. 3658);

Constitutional convention.

Calling on Article V of the United States Constitution for the convening of a convention of the states (House, No. 3660); and

Id.

Establishing the annual observance of COVID-19 remembrance day (House, No. 4672);

COVID-19,—remembrance day.

Severally placed in the Orders of the Day for the next sitting the question being on adoption

Orders of the Day.

The Senate Bill raising the income threshold for senior real property tax deferments in the town of Milton (Senate, No. 2526), reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn, was read a third time; and it was passed to be engrossed, in concurrence.

Third reading bill.

The House Bill to make permanent a senior means tested property tax exemption in Concord (House, No. 3731), reported by the committee on Bills in the Third Reading to be correctly drawn, was read a third time; and it was passed to be engrossed. Sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Id.

Order.

On motion of Mr. Mariano of Quincy,—

Ordered, That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet tomorrow at eleven o'clock A.M.

Next sitting.

At twenty-five minutes after twelve o'clock noon, on motion of Mr. Muradian of Grafton (Mr. Garballey of Arlington being in the Chair), the House adjourned, to meet the following day at eleven o'clock A.M.